Boating Safety

The Titanic

Trivia Quiz

What single COLREGS rule

did the Captain of the

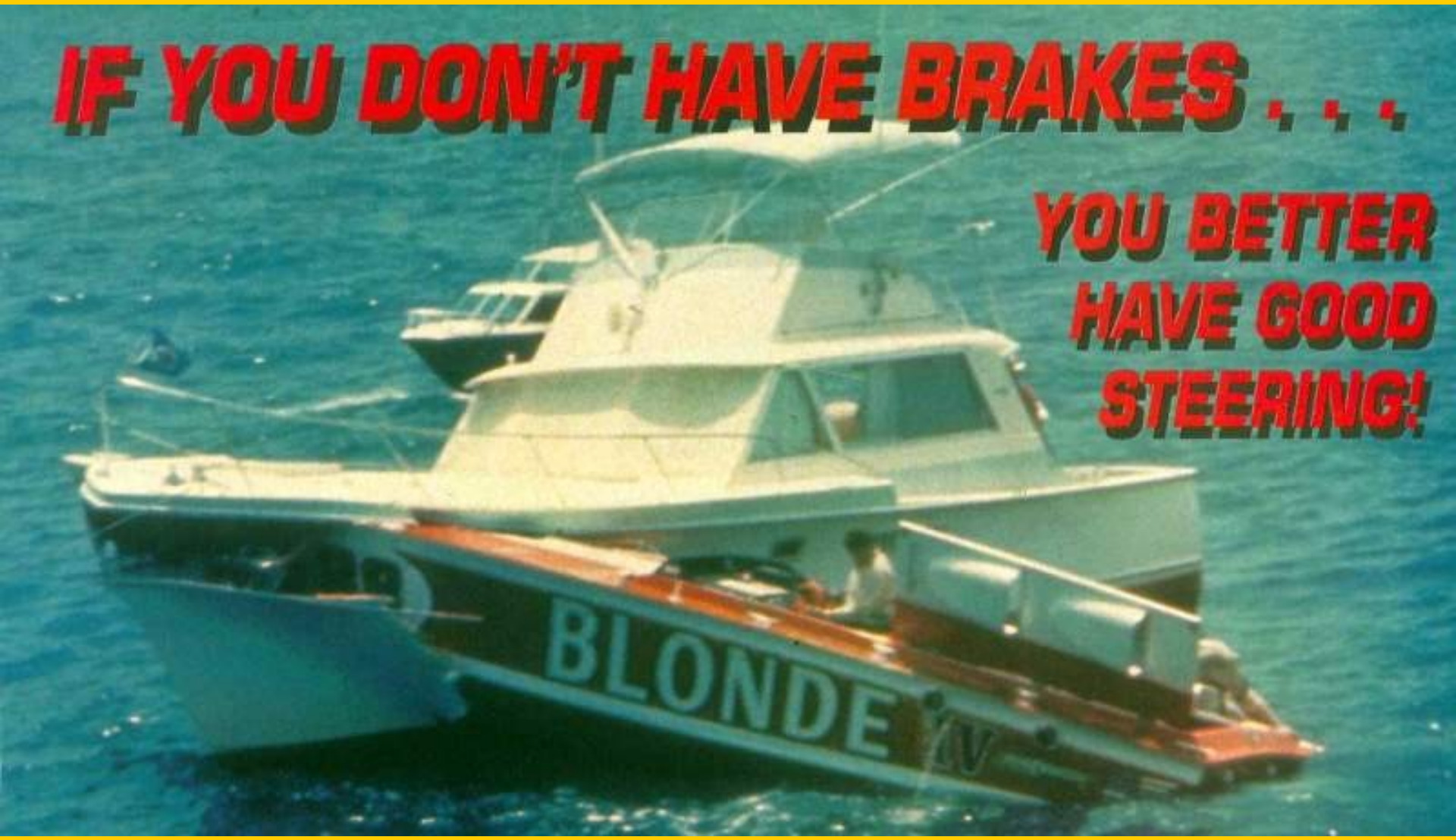
Titanic break?

Answer

Captain Smith was in a hurry

The *COLREGS* rule that was broken was RULE 6:

“Every vessel shall at all times proceed at a safe speed…”


IF YOU DON'T HAVE BRAKES . . .
YOU BETTER HAVE GOOD STEERING!
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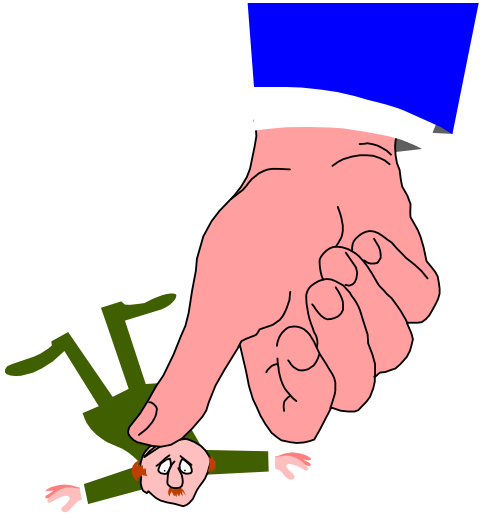
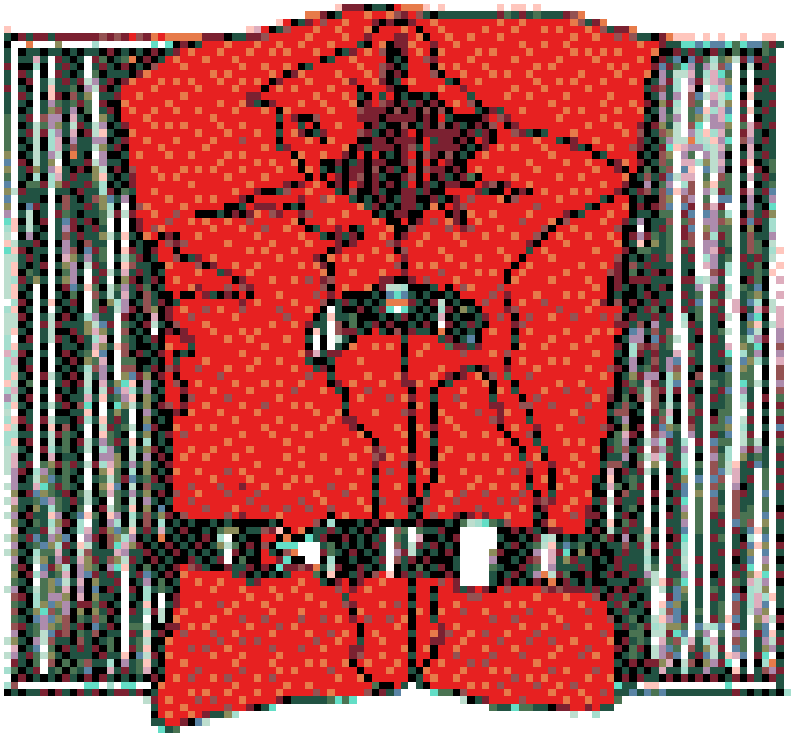


Personal Floatation Device (PFD)

Type I

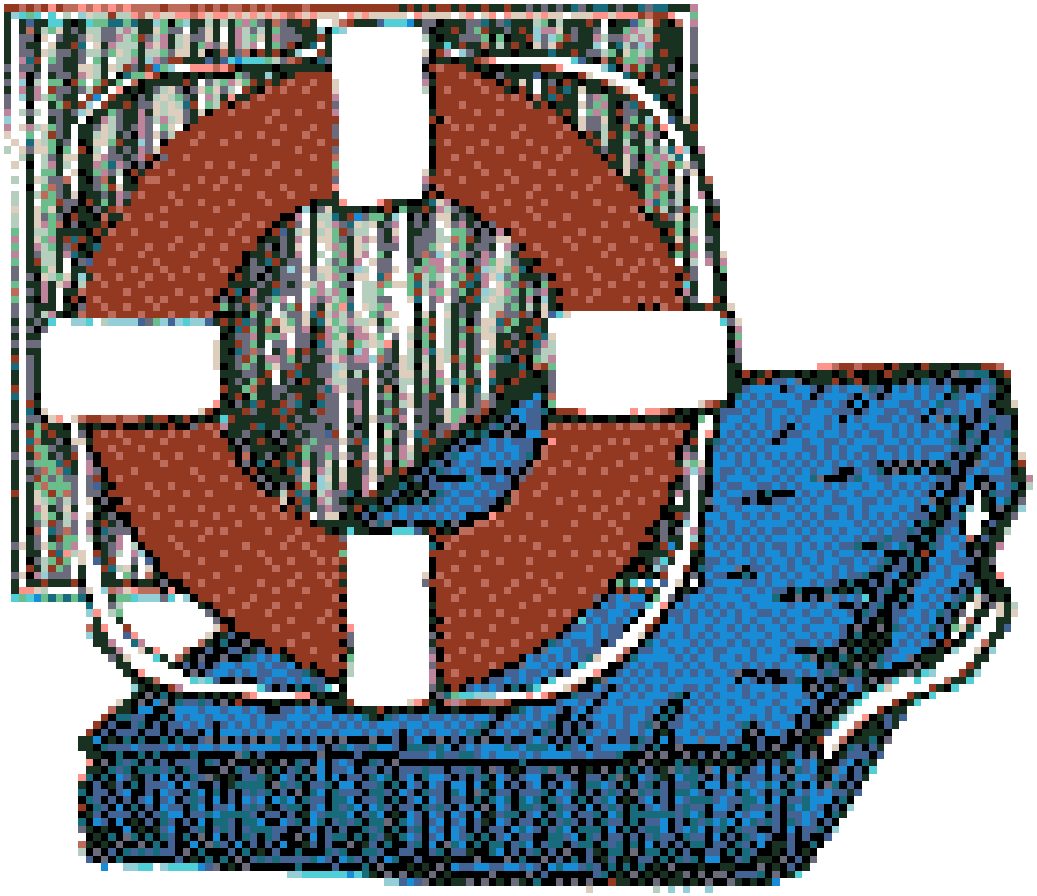
Near-shore Buoyant Vest



Type II

Type III

Throwable Device



Type IV

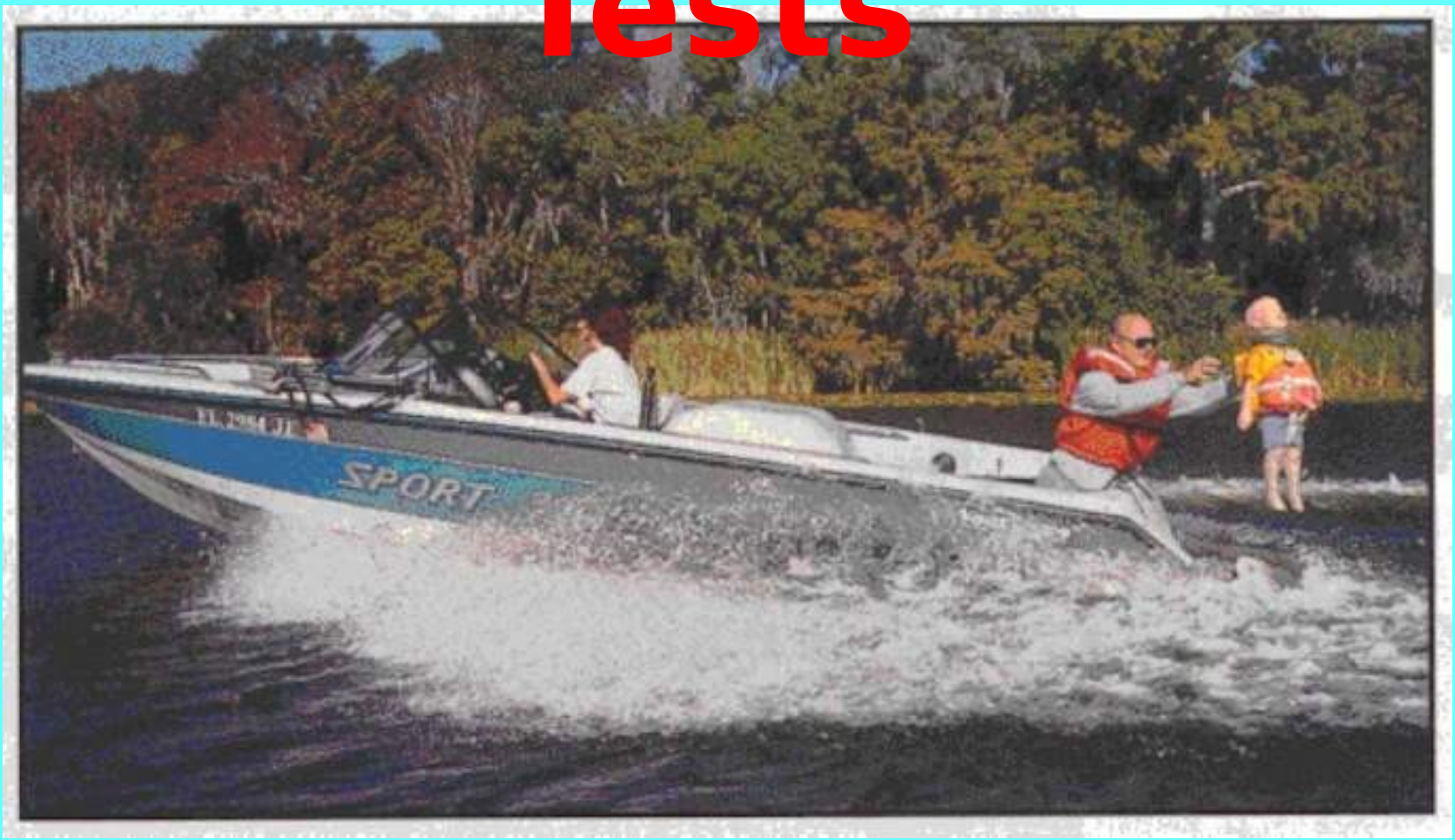
Type V

Face up

or

Face Down?

Recent PFD Tests



Dr. Harvey Barnett

tested 47 different PFDs.

Only 17 floated the child face-up.

Only one of the 17 passed the speed test.

Don’t let your child’s

first lesson in using

a life jacket take place

during an actual

emergency!

Recap

- Get Certified - Know and Obey the rules.
- Booze and Boating don’t mix.
- Wear your PFD.

That’s all folks!